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## PUBLIC NOTICES

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Released: August 19, 1999. TARIFF TRANSMITTAL PUBLIC REFERENCE LOG: AUG. 18. Internet URL: [https://www.fcc.gov/Bureaus/Common\\_Carrier/Public\\_Notices/Tariffs/combined/tt081899.pdf](https://www.fcc.gov/Bureaus/Common_Carrier/Public_Notices/Tariffs/combined/tt081899.pdf)

Report No: 3691. Released: August 19, 1999. CABLE SERVICES BUREAU ACTIONS.

Released: August 19, 1999. NEW RULE NOW IN EFFECT CONCERNING EQUITY/DEBT THRESHOLD FOR USE WITH DETERMINING ELIGIBILITY FOR NEW ENTRANT BIDDING CREDIT.Contact: Shaun Maher at 202-418-1600. (DA No. 99-1663). Internet URL: [https://www.fcc.gov/Bureaus/Mass\\_Media/Public\\_Notices/da991663.wp](https://www.fcc.gov/Bureaus/Mass_Media/Public_Notices/da991663.wp)

Report No: 2353. Released: August 19, 1999. PETITIONS FOR RECONSIDERATION OF ACTION IN RULEMAKING PROCEEDING.

Report No: CWS-99-57. Released: August 19, 1999. WIRELESS TELECOMMUNICATIONS BUREAU COMMERCIAL WIRELESS INFORMATION. Internet URL: [https://www.fcc.gov/Bureaus/Wireless/Public\\_Notices/1999/pnw19202.pdf](https://www.fcc.gov/Bureaus/Wireless/Public_Notices/1999/pnw19202.pdf)

Released: August 19, 1999. FCC REMINDS APPLICANTS OF SHORT FORM FILING DEADLINE AND ELECTRONIC ACCESS TO FILING SYSTEM FOR AUCTION 25, "CLOSED BROADCAST AUCTION". (DA No. 99-1664). Internet URL: [https://www.fcc.gov/Bureaus/Wireless/Public\\_Notices/1999/da991664.wp](https://www.fcc.gov/Bureaus/Wireless/Public_Notices/1999/da991664.wp)

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## TEXTS

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TIME WARNER CABLE. Granted Petition for Determination of LEC Effective Competition filed by Time Warner Cable challenging the certification of several franchising authorities in Orange County, Florida to regulate Time Warner's basic cable service and associated equipment rates. Action by Chief, Cable Services Bureau. Adopted: August 17, 1999. by MO&O. (DA No. 99-1651). CSB Internet URL: <https://www.fcc.gov/Bureaus/Cable/Orders/1999/da991651.wp>

WRNN-TV ASSOCIATES LIMITED PARTNERSHIP. Granted in part petition filed by WRNN-TV Associates, licensee of Station WRNN-TV (Ch. 62), Kingston, New York, seeking special relief to modify the New York, New York ADI to include 219 communities located in the counties of Albany, Rensselaer, Saratoga, Schoharie, Greene, Columbia, Montgomery, Fulton, Schenectady, Washington, Hamilton, and Warren, New York; Berkshire, Massachusetts; and Bennington, Vermont. Action by Chief, Cable Services Bureau. Adopted: August 13, 1999. by MO&O. (DA No. 99-1641). CSB Internet URL: <https://www.fcc.gov/Bureaus/Cable/Orders/1999/da991641.wp>

NORTHEAST KANSAS BROADCAST SERVICE. ERRATUM TO DA 99-1466, MEMORANDUM OPINION AND ORDER RELEASED JULY 26, 1999. Deleted footnote 13 in MO&O granting Northeast Kansas Broadcast Service's request for a waiver of the significantly viewed exception to the network nonduplication and syndicated program exclusivity rules. Action by Deputy Chief, Cable Services Bureau. Adopted: August 17, 1999. by Erratum. CSB Internet URL: <https://www.fcc.gov/Bureaus/Cable/Orders/1999/er991466.wp>

BC TEL. Conditionally granted application for consent to transfer control of BC TEL to BCT. TELUS Communications Inc. Action by Chief, Telecommunications Division. Adopted: August 17, 1999. by Order. (DA No. 99-1648). IB Internet URL: <https://www.fcc.gov/Bureaus/International/Orders/1999/da991648.txt>

LIABILITY OF RUSSELLVILLE EDUCATIONAL BROADCAST FOUNDATION. Denied request for rescission or reduction of \$2,500 forfeiture amount for Russellville. Action by Chief, Mass Media Bureau. Adopted: August 18, 1999. by MO&O&FO. (DA No. 99-1656). MMB Internet URL: [https://www.fcc.gov/Bureaus/Mass\\_Media/Orders/1999/da991656.wp](https://www.fcc.gov/Bureaus/Mass_Media/Orders/1999/da991656.wp)

KIDS-TV 6, LICENSEE OF STATION K06MU(TV), BIG BEAR LAKE VALLEY, CA. Reduced forfeiture from \$4,000 to \$3,000 for KIDS-TV 6 for violating rules regarding broadcast of telephone conversations. Action by Chief, Mass Media Bureau. Adopted: August 12, 1999. by MO&O&FO. (DA No. 99-1614). MMB Internet URL: [https://www.fcc.gov/Bureaus/Mass\\_Media/Orders/1999/da991614.wp](https://www.fcc.gov/Bureaus/Mass_Media/Orders/1999/da991614.wp)

ONONDAGA COUNTY. Granted the request for reconsideration of imposition of secondary status and reinstatement of primary status for stations WEH443, WEH448, WNTN326 and WNTN 402 in Syracuse, NY. Action by Chief, Public Safety and Private Wireless Division. Adopted: August 18, 1999. by Order on Recon. (DA No. 99-1660). WTB Internet URL: <https://www.fcc.gov/Bureaus/Wireless/Orders/1999/da991660.wp>

CAL-ONE CELLULAR L.P. FOR AUTHORIZATION IN THE MICROWAVE SERVICES FOR MODIFICATION OF STATION WMJ409, YREKA, CA. Denied Cal-One's request for a waiver of Section 101.81 that would otherwise require the station to be authorized on a secondary basis to emerging technology systems. Action by Chief, Public Safety and Private Wireless Division. Adopted: August 18, 1999. by Order. (DA No. 99-1662). WTB Internet URL: <https://www.fcc.gov/Bureaus/Wireless/Orders/1999/da991662.wp>

**ADDENDA: The following items, released August 18, 1999, did not appear in Digest No. 158:**

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Report No: 3693. Released: August 18, 1999. CABLE SERVICES ACTION.

Report No: 1427. Released: August 18, 1999. CABLE TV RELAY SERVICE (CARS) APPLICATIONS ACCEPTED FOR FILING.

Report No: TEL-00126S. Released: August 18, 1999. STREAMLINED INTERNATIONAL APPLICATIONS ACCEPTED FOR FILING. Internet URL: [https://www.fcc.gov/Bureaus/International/Public\\_Notices/1999/pnin9159.pdf](https://www.fcc.gov/Bureaus/International/Public_Notices/1999/pnin9159.pdf)

Report No: SES-00104. Released: August 18, 1999. SATELLITE COMMUNICATIONS SERVICES INFORMATION RE: ACTIONS TAKEN. Internet URL: [https://www.fcc.gov/Bureaus/International/Public\\_Notices/1999/pnin9157.pdf](https://www.fcc.gov/Bureaus/International/Public_Notices/1999/pnin9157.pdf)

Released: August 18, 1999. INTERNATIONAL SETTLEMENT RATES REPORT AND ORDER ON RECONSIDERATION AND ORDER LIFTING STAY IB DOCKET 96-261, FCC 99-124 (JUNE 11, 1999) SUPPLEMENTAL FINAL REGULATORY FLEXIBILITY ANALYSIS. (DA No. 99-1655). Internet URL: [https://www.fcc.gov/Bureaus/International/Public\\_Notices/1999/da991655.wp](https://www.fcc.gov/Bureaus/International/Public_Notices/1999/da991655.wp)

Report No: 44553A. Released: August 18, 1999. BROADCAST ACTIONS. Internet URL: [https://www.fcc.gov/Bureaus/Mass\\_Media/Public\\_Notices/Brdst\\_Actions/pnmm9162.wp](https://www.fcc.gov/Bureaus/Mass_Media/Public_Notices/Brdst_Actions/pnmm9162.wp)

Report No: D-1060-A. Released: August 18, 1999. MASS MEDIA BUREAU MULTIPOINT DISTRIBUTION SERVICE APPLICATIONS. Internet URL: [https://www.fcc.gov/Bureaus/Mass\\_Media/Public\\_Notices/MDS\\_Notices/md990818.pdf](https://www.fcc.gov/Bureaus/Mass_Media/Public_Notices/MDS_Notices/md990818.pdf)

Released: August 18, 1999. FCC FORM 485 AVAILABLE.Contact: Shoko Hair 202-418-1379. (DA No. 99-1659). Internet URL: [https://www.fcc.gov/Bureaus/Miscellaneous/Public\\_Notices/1999/da991659.txt](https://www.fcc.gov/Bureaus/Miscellaneous/Public_Notices/1999/da991659.txt)

Released: August 18, 1999. EX PARTE PRESENTATIONS AND POST-REPLY COMMENT PERIOD FILINGS IN PERMIT-BUT-DISCLOSE PROCEEDINGS.Contact: Barbara Lowe at 202-418-0310. Internet URL: [https://www.fcc.gov/Bureaus/Miscellaneous/Public\\_Notices/Exparte/1999/ex990818.html](https://www.fcc.gov/Bureaus/Miscellaneous/Public_Notices/Exparte/1999/ex990818.html)

Report No: 296. Released: August 18, 1999. WIRELESS TELECOMMUNICATIONS BUREAU SITE-BY-SITE ACTION. Internet URL: [https://www.fcc.gov/Bureaus/Wireless/Public\\_Notices/1999/pnw19199.pdf](https://www.fcc.gov/Bureaus/Wireless/Public_Notices/1999/pnw19199.pdf)

Released: August 18, 1999. WIRELESS TELECOMMUNICATIONS BUREAU COMMERCIAL WIRELESS DIVISION APPROVES THE WITHDRAWAL OF 4 FINDER'S PREFERENCE REQUESTS AND RELATED PLEADINGS.Contact: Don Johnson or Chris Gacek 202-418-7240. (DA No. 99-1650).

Released: August 18, 1999. INTERNATIONAL BUREAU AND WIRELESS TELECOMMUNICATIONS BUREAU GRANT CONSENT FOR TRANSFER OF CONTROL OF LICENSES OF CELLULAR COMMUNICATIONS OF PUERTO RICO, INC., TO SBC COMMUNICATIONS, INC.Contact: Lauren Kravetz 202-418-7240 or Douglas Klein 202-418-1470. (DA No. 99-1654). Internet URL: [https://www.fcc.gov/Bureaus/Wireless/Public\\_Notices/1999/da991654.pdf](https://www.fcc.gov/Bureaus/Wireless/Public_Notices/1999/da991654.pdf)

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ACN COMMUNICATIONS, INC. V. PACIFIC BELL. Granted joint motion for voluntary dismissal of complaint. Action by Chief, Formal Complaints and Investigations Branch. Adopted: August 18, 1999. by Order. (DA No. 99-1652). CCB Internet URL: [https://www.fcc.gov/Bureaus/Common\\_Carrier/Orders/1999/da991652.txt](https://www.fcc.gov/Bureaus/Common_Carrier/Orders/1999/da991652.txt)

1998 BIENNIAL REGULATORY REVIEW MARITIME SETTLEMENTS. Extended comment dates to Oct. 25, replies to Nov. 29. Dkt No.: IB- 98-96. Action by Chief, International Bureau. Adopted: August 17, 1999. by Order. (DA No. 99-1653). IB Internet URL: <https://www.fcc.gov/Bureaus/International/Orders/1999/da991653.wp>

PACIFIC GAS AND ELECTRIC COMPANY. Denied PacBell Mobile's petition for reconsideration of action by Public Safety and Private Wireless Division granting PG&E request for reconsideration of the imposition of a secondary status condition of its licenses for Petaluma and Cottonwood, CA. Action by Chief, Public Safety and Private Wireless Division. Adopted: August 17, 1999. by MO&O. (DA No. 99-1629). WTB Internet URL: <https://www.fcc.gov/Bureaus/Wireless/Orders/1999/da991629.wp>

EXTENDING WIRELESS TELECOMMUNICATIONS SERVICES TO TRIBAL LANDS. Sought comment on potential terrestrial wireless and satellite policy initiatives to address telecom needs of Indians living on tribal lands. Dkt No.: WT- 99-266. Action by the Commission. Adopted: August 5, 1999. by NPRM. (DA No. 99-205). WTB Internet URL: <https://www.fcc.gov/Bureaus/Wireless/Notices/1999/fcc99205.pdf>

COMMERCIAL REALTY ST. PETE, INC., JAMES C. HARTLEY, TERESA HARTLEY, AND RALPH E. HOWE. Denied Commercial Realty's petition for declaratory ruling and other relief regarding Interactive Video

and Data Service licenses. Dkt No.: WT- 95-26. Action by the Commission. Adopted: August 6, 1999. by MO&O. (FCC No. 99-211). WTB Internet URL:

<https://www.fcc.gov/Bureaus/Wireless/Orders/1999/fcc99211.wp>

**ADDENDA: The following items, released August 17, 1999, did not appear in Digest No. 157:**

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**NEWS RELEASES**  
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FCC CHAIRMAN KENNARD SIGNS WORK PROGRAMME WITH SOUTH AFRICA. News media contact: Rosemary Kimball at 202-418-0500. Kennard. Internet URL:

[https://www.fcc.gov/Bureaus/Miscellaneous/News\\_Releases/1999/nrmc9061.pdf](https://www.fcc.gov/Bureaus/Miscellaneous/News_Releases/1999/nrmc9061.pdf)

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Released: August 17, 1999. FCC PROVIDES FURTHER INFORMATION ON THE ACCREDITATION REQUIREMENTS FOR TELECOMMUNICATION CERTIFICATION BODIES.GEN Docket 98-68; contact: Art Wall 202-418-2442 or Bill Howden 202-418-2343, TTY 202-418-0484. (DA No. 99-1640). Internet URL:

[https://www.fcc.gov/Bureaus/Engineering\\_Technology/Public\\_Notices/1999/da991640.wp](https://www.fcc.gov/Bureaus/Engineering_Technology/Public_Notices/1999/da991640.wp)

**ADDENDA: The following items, released August 11, 1999, did not appear in Digest No. 153:**

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**PUBLIC NOTICES**  
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Released: August 11, 1999. SUNSHINE RESTRICTIONS APPLICABLE TO ACCESS CHARGE REFORM, PRICE CAP PERFORMANCE REVIEW FOR LOCAL EXCHANGE CARRIERS AND FEDERAL-STATE JOINT BOARD ON UNIVERSAL SERVICE LIFTED WITH REGARD TO ISSUES RAISE IN THE JULY 29, 1999 EX PARTE SUBMMISSION. (FCC No. 99-214). Internet URL:

[https://www.fcc.gov/Bureaus/Common\\_Carrier/Public\\_Notices/1999/fcc99214.wp](https://www.fcc.gov/Bureaus/Common_Carrier/Public_Notices/1999/fcc99214.wp)